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City of Charleston to Host Final Public Listening Session About Short-Term Rentals

Charleston, S.C. –The City of Charleston Department of Planning, Preservation, and Sustainability is hosting the final Public Listening Session for citizens to express their thoughts about short-term rentals in the City of Charleston on Thursday, May 18 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The session will be held in the Barbara Pearlstine Social Hall at Kahal Kadosh Beth Elohim Synagogue, 90 Hasell St, Charleston, SC 29401. Parking is available nearby in the Wentworth Garage at the corner of Wentworth and St. Philip Streets and will be validated.

Jacob Lindsey, director of Planning, Preservation, and Sustainability said, "Short-term rentals pose a unique challenge to cities like ours and public input is critical if we're going to get it right. That's why we're encouraging everyone to come to a listening session and share their perspectives and ideas with the task force."

More information about the Short-term Rental Task Force can be found at http://www.charleston-sc.gov/index.aspx?NID=1520.

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